



Alba Judo Veterans Open 2026

Level 3 Point Scoring Event, Free Double Entry



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Venue: Cluarankwai Judo Club, 21 New Mill Rd, Kilmarnock KA1 3JB.

Date: Saturday 26th September 2026

Check In/Weigh In: Friday 25th 6.00pm - 7.00pm, Saturday 26th 8.00am - 8.30am.

Closing Date: Tuesday 22nd September 2026 or until maximum number of entries has been reached.

Event Sponsors: Mizuno & FUJI Judo UK, Cluarankwai Judo Club

NOTE: All players **MUST** be a minimum age of 30 years @ 31st December 2026.

You will be put in the category which reflects your age at 31st December 2026

e.g. DOB 17/5/1987 (39 on date of comp) = M2, DOB 30/09/1986 (39 on date of comp) = M3

Categories:

This competition is aimed at those judoka who either want to gain greater experience competing, want to gain points to progress to their next Dan or both. We also want to welcome international competitors looking to travel for greater experience and compete against like-minded veteran judoka.

Enter Group A-E to receive free entry into Group F or G. Alternatively, you can choose to enter Group F or G only. Categories may be combined. For the Open, if we imagine there is 4 * 81kg players and 4 * 100kg players, this will be contested as 2 * pools of 4 with light and heavy separated with the top 2 of each pool proceeding to semi-final and final. Expect lots of contests.

Group A: Men M1/M2 (30-39)	-66	-73	-81	-90	-100	+100
Group B: Men M3/M4 (40-49)	-66	-73	-81	-90	-100	+100
Group C: Men M5/M6 (50-59)	-66	-73	-81	-90	-100	+100
Group D: Men M7+ (60+)	-66	-73	-81	-90	-100	+100
Group E: Women W1+ (30+)	-63	-78	+78			
Group F: Men Open	1 st Kyu	1 st Dan	2 nd Dan	3 rd Dan	4 th Dan+	
Group G: Women Open	1 st Kyu+ (Depending on entry we will split by grade)					

We will also endeavour to run some form of Novice to 2nd Kyu competition if there is enough interest, this will be decided at the closing date. Please proceed to enter so we know our numbers and we will refund if necessary.

Contest Time: M1/W1-M6/W6 3 Mins, unlimited Golden Score. M7/W7+ 2.5 Mins, 1 min Golden Score. No Shime-Waza is permitted in any contest where one or both of the players are over 60 years of age. Any attempted shime-waza technique will result in mate with no penalty applied.

Awards: Gold, Silver, Bronze and Bronze (If a category is combined, you must win at least 1 contest to medal in your category).

'Sportsperson Of The Day' – A Yusho Mizuno judo suit will be awarded to the player that the referees feel have been most competitive, but also shown great respect towards the sport of judo, their opponents and officials. Thank you to **Mizuno & FUJI Judo UK** for sponsoring this award.

'Competitor Of The Day Trophy' – Cluarankwai Judo will choose a worthy competitor who performs excellent judo and shows competitive determination. Thank you to **Cluarankwai Judo Club** for sponsoring this award.

Pre-Check In: Option to submit proof of grade and membership by email prior to check in for speedy weigh in.

Weigh In: All judoka will be weighed. To offer flexibility for judoka travelling, you have an opportunity to weigh in on the Friday night or weigh in on the Saturday morning. Test scales will also be available. As it is an open weigh in, all competitors must wear judogi trousers and t-shirt, 0.8kg allowance will be given.

All judoka must present their current grade and membership evidence to their affiliated association.

By entering and/or attending this event you agree to abide by all British Judo Association policies and codes of conduct. This includes but is not limited to:

- [Transgender policy](#), [Codes of conduct](#), [Contest rules & referees](#), [Stoma bags](#), [Prosthetic limbs](#)

Entry Fee: £32.00 – Entry fees must be paid at point of entry and are non-refundable.

Payment: Bank Transfer:

Account Name: **Alba Judo Veterans**

Account Number: **44714780**

Sort Code: **04-00-03**

Please put reference as **Your Name** so we can align with the entry forms received.

Online Entries: <https://forms.gle/idSGAAJsEMPchDqG7>

Email Entries: albajudoveterans@gmail.com

Paper Entries To: David Gibson, 11 Mortonhall Park Loan, Edinburgh, EH17 8SN.

Spectators: Adults - £5.00. Under 16 – Free. Coaches, please email us with names to be added to coaches mat side list, coaching card must be presented to gain complimentary and matside entry. General rule will be 2 coaches per club.

Further Information: Please email us at albajudoveterans@gmail.com for further information or any queries needing answered.

Travel: Prestwick Airport: - 45 mins by car to the venue

Kilmarnock Railway Station - Hill St, Kilmarnock KA1 2AF

6 mins by taxi to the venue.

15-20 mins bus/walk to venue. Services 1, 1A, 1B, 6/7, 76.

Kilmarnock Bus Station - 20 Green St, Kilmarnock KA1 1JU

6 mins by taxi to the venue.

10-15 mins bus/walk to venue. Services 1, 1A, 1B, 50, 76.

Accommodation: Premier Inn - Moorfield Roundabout, Kilmarnock KA1 2RS

Travelodge - A71, 165 Bellfield Interchange, Riccarton Rd, Kilmarnock KA1 5LQ

The Park Hotel - 2 Dundonald Pl, Kilmarnock KA1 1UR

Fitness: If you need a workout before the competition, The Bunker Gym is only 5 mins walk away.

Email. info@thebunkergym.net, 5 New Mill Rd, Kilmarnock KA1 3JG, UK

Sightseeing: Dean Castle - JGF8+89, Kilmarnock KA3 1XB

Alba Judo Veterans Open Championships 2026 Individual Entry Form

Name			
Address			
Post Code			
Tel Number			
Email			
DOB			
Grade			
Category Group	Please Circle: A B C D E Nov-2 nd Kyu	Weight	Please Circle: MEN: -66 -73 -81 -90 -100 +100 WOMEN: -63 -78 +78
Category Group	Please Circle: F G	Competitive Grade	Please Circle: 1 st Kyu 1 st Dan 2 nd Dan 3 rd Dan 4 th Dan+
Single Entry	Please Circle: Yes / No	Double Entry	Please Circle: Yes / No
Club			
Club Coach			

PLEASE COMPLETE ALL FIELDS AS INCOMPLETE ENTRY FORMS MAY BE RETURNED

